

Walter Johnson In Center of Turmoil With Ban Johnson and the Commission

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FRATERNITY'S NEW SCHEME

Ban Johnson Shows Why He Prevents Playres From Working in Exhibitions.

Walter Johnson, premier pitcher of the American League, and Grover Cleveland Alexander, pride of the National League, will defy the recent rulings of the national commission Sunday by appearing in an exhibition game at Kansas City. With them will also be seen Hal Chase, of the Cincinnati Reds, and Casey Stengel, of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

The fact that players of this caliber and reputation dare to defy the authority of the national commission is interpreted as a move by the baseball players' fraternity to force the hand of the commission. The announcement of the game followed closely on the heels of the bickering between Fraternity President David Fultz and Ban Johnson, president of the American League. The players in question are not only actively associated with the fraternity, but some of them occupy executive positions with the association.

Meanwhile in his throne room out in Chicago, the American League and National Commission yesterday continued to fustigate David Fultz, president, and the baseball players' fraternity jointly and severally. Johnson declared that Fultz's protest against national commission discipline for the members of the Boston Red Sox was "a violation of the rules after the close of the recent world's series was in direct violation of the rules and heads of the association."

"Major league ball players," declared Johnson, "will not only be barred from engaging in exhibition games, but from other fashions of violent sport as well."

"The contracts which they have signed particularly forbid players from increasing their incomes after the close of the regular season by engaging in indoor baseball, basketball or football."

President Johnson clinched his point by exhibiting a number of signed contracts in his possession. In all were incorporated clauses binding the players to refrain from violent athletic strife for pay throughout the off season.

"You will notice," said Johnson, "that these contracts forbid participation in any exhibition game, indoor baseball, basketball or football. The written consent of the club has been given."

"Not only did Mr. Lannin not give his consent to the members of the world's champion Red Sox who broke the agreement, but Mr. Fultz himself induced and approved in the form of contract. He induced and approved it as a franchise head. Where he comes in, then, to make any remonstrance is far beyond me."

"We decided not to permit the exhibition games," Ban Johnson concluded, "because the hipodrome features could not be divorced from them."

John K. Tener, head of the National League, has taken another shot at Ban Johnson. He is much peeved over Johnson's statement to the effect that McGraw should be punished for his conduct in the McGraw incident, and has given out this statement:

"This is a second reference to the McGraw incident and like his former one is unbecomingly. The National League is handling the McGraw incident in its own way and in the proper way."

"McGraw's leaving the field and his statement do not constitute a charge against the integrity of the game, and McGraw disavows any such intention."

"If Johnson wants to do any hell raising he need not look any further for an opportunity than the statement made by one of the club owners against the umpires of his league."

Yale Is Confident Of Winning Contest

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 27.—Only light work is scheduled for the Yale football eleven today. The coaches are confident of winning from Washington and Jefferson tomorrow. Braden will start at fullback in place of Jacques. Coach Jones announces the following line-up:

Left end, Gates and Moseley; left tackle, Taft; left guard, Black; center, Hutchinson; right guard, Galt; right tackle, Halldridge and Gates; right end, Connerford; quarterback, Smith; left halfback, Blighman; right halfback, Legore; fullback, Braden.

Extra Paper!

OTTAWA, Canada, Oct. 27.—Freddie Welsh, world's champion lightweight, knocked out Young Ward in the fourth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here last night.

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C.U. Learns New Plays To Spring on Lehigh

Coach Neilsen Makes No Predictions, But He Hopes to See Brooklanders Triumph—Fullback Mimms Out of Game for Year With Knee Injury.

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

Catholic University, primed for its best game, left today for Philadelphia, going up to South Bethlehem tomorrow morning for its clash with Lehigh. Coach Fred Neilsen is unwilling to make any predictions, but he does look for the Brooklanders to make a good showing.

For the Lehigh game C. U. has been taught a number of new formations. They were tried out yesterday in the secret practice at Brookland and worked without a flaw.

Munhall, the halfback who was unable to play against Villanova last week, will not face Lehigh, his injury keeping him on the sidelines. Neilsen's team will probably line up as follows: Manning, left end; O'Hearn, left tackle; Greer, left guard; Captain Murphy, center; Straub, right guard; Kilian, right tackle; McKenney, right end; Shortley, quarterback; Rogers, left halfback; Glascock, right halfback; Butler, fullback.

When George Washington faces Johns Hopkins tomorrow at Baltimore, it will be without Fullback Mimms. He has developed water on the knee, and may be out of the game for the remainder of the season.

Coach Sullivan's team is expected to line up as follows: Neiderhauser, left end; Kerr, left tackle; Gentness, left guard; Giblin, center; Hillis, right guard; H. Harmon, right tackle; Hollingsworth, right end; Pepper, quarterback; Selden, left halfback; Burke and

Wayne Hart's Clemson eleven registered its first victory of the season yesterday when it ran up twenty-seven points to none for South Carolina. Seven thousand spectators saw the contest at Columbia, S. C.

SHARPE OPTIMISTIC OVER BIG CONTEST

Cornell's Coach Believes Ithacans Have Good Chance of Defeating Harvard.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 27.—"We have as good a chance to win tomorrow as we had last year," says Al Charye, Cornell's head coach. "The teams look evenly matched, and there will be no one-sided score."

Improvement in end play and more dash and a ginger all around have been conspicuous features of the last few days. Speculations to the final line-up of the varsity was set at rest today when Dr. Sharpe announced that the team would start the Harvard game as follows: Rivers, left end; Gillies, left tackle; Miller, left guard; Carey, center; M. Anderson, right guard; Dixon or Tiley, right tackle; Zander, right end; Shiverick, quarterback; Benedict, while Shiverick's drop kick-fall back. The coaches let it be known today that they would count heavily on the good punting of Shiverick and Benedict, while Shiverick's drop kicking is expected to prove a big feature.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 27.—Harvard wound up its hard work, in preparation for Saturday's game with Cornell, yesterday. The varsity working out its defensive plans against the substitutes, and then going into a short break scrimmage against the crabs. The second team used the Cornell offensive with a lot of snap, but the varsity's defenses were good, and although the Cambridge coaches feel that their team is very well prepared to give a good account of itself against the Ithacans.

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Fordham Is Weakened By Crippled Players

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Six regulars are now on Fordham's crippled list, and Coach Calnan fears several will be unable to face Georgetown on election day. McNamara, varsity quarterback, has his shoulder in a cast, and Matty Golden, captain of the track team, will direct the team tomorrow against Penn Military College.

Brane, guard, has an inflamed eye that may keep him out of the Georgetown game. Caddell, the freshman tackle, has a slight case of water on the knee, while Calnan and Corcoran have weak ankles. Huggenbush has not practiced since Tuesday and is in poor condition.

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MINCE PIE

"LITTLE OF EVERYTHING," By "BUGS" BAER.

DARVID RUDOLPH

"Sam Langford wants to fight again, with or without rehearsals."

When Walter Camp starts in to pick his All-American team he evidently figures that Columbus only discovered New Haven.

WILLARD MIGHT FIGHT A LITTLE JUST TO KEEP IN SHAPE FOR THE CIRCUIS SEASON.

With the Army-Navy and Yale-Harvard games taking place the same day, it's the fortunate ticket speculator who is a twin.

World series players who complained because there were some empty chairs in the grandstands demonstrated that there were some empty caps on the field.

If Harvard wins the championship, Percy Houghton will get a yard of glory and \$15,000. If Harvard loses, Perc will get \$15,000.

Syracuse's showing against Pittsburg on Saturday doesn't mean that they haven't got a perfectly good football team on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Before the Players' Fraternity starts in to fight Ban Johnson, they should have their identification tags pinned on their chests.

Metropolitan ticket speculator in the world lives in Chicago. He sold a bird, who didn't get to town often, an orchestra seat to see Sidney Hatch run from Milwaukee to the Windy City.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES.

Squib—Never heard of an egg being partly good.

Zaphod—Only trouble with the Winter League is that there are no gate receipts.

Winkus—You may make a good pugilist. What can you do a hundred in?

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NAVY ISN'T AFRAID OF GEORGIA ELEVEN

Middies Expect to Triumph Over Virginia Conquerors.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 27.—Coach Ingram plans only light work for his Navy squad today in preparation for tomorrow's clash with the University of Georgia. Last week the Georgians conquered Virginia, but the Middies are not afraid of the results here.

Stiff defensive work was given the sailor varsity yesterday against a strong second-string aggregation, which, however, failed to make any great impression on the first-call lads.

Although steady driving was the order of the day, the varsity managed to stave off a score rather easily. Off-tackle and end plays were used, for the most part, the husters also trying with very poor success some forward passes.

Ingram, the husky halfback, of the varsity, soon discouraged this by his ability to shove the play and intercept the pass.

Ort was given a lay-off from quarter. This job being filled by the speedy and heady little plow Woldiel, who again showed up remarkably well.

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The Georgetown Freshmen, who recently defeated Tome School, and go up to Philadelphia on Saturday to tackle the St. Joseph's School eleven.

Eastern and Technical take the field today in the second game of the high school football series. The chances for victory greatly favor Tech on account of the fact that there are five veterans on the eleven. Tech will outweigh Eastern almost twenty pounds to the man.

Tech is without the services of Dave Pfeiffer, one of the best players in scholastic ranks. In his first year last season Pfeiffer was rated as an exceptionally fast man.

The line-ups for the game will be as follows:

Booley, left end; Barnes, left tackle; Frye, left guard; Parkner, center; Clark, right guard; Broderick, right tackle; Dodge, right end; Quervier, quarterback; Captain Exater, left half; Myers, right half, and Snyder, fullback.

Eastern's line-up will be as follows: Captain Cummings, left end; Brockwell, left tackle; Waldorf or Burns, left guard; Menert or Littlefield, center; Fishery, right guard; Baldwin, right tackle; Walsh or Dunn, right end; Thomas, quarterback; Speer, left half; Newman, right half; Sweeney, fullback.

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